

AZ - 500: Microsoft Azure Security Technologies

Course Outline

• Secure Azure solutions with Azure Active Directory

- o Configure Azure AD and Azure AD Domain Services for security
- o Create users and groups that enable secure usage of your tenant
- o Use MFA to protect user's identities
- Configure passwordless security options

• Implement Hybrid identity

- o Deploy Azure AD Connect
- o Pick and configure the best authentication option for your security needs
- Configure password writeback

• Deploy Azure AD identity protection

- Deploy and configure Identity Protection
- o Configure MFA for users, groups, and applications
- o Create Conditional Access policies to ensure your security
- Create and follow an access review process

• Configure Azure AD privileged identity management

- o Describe Zero Trust and how it impacts security
- o Configure and deploy roles using Privileged Identity Management (PIM)
- Evaluate the usefulness of each PIM setting as it relates to your security goals

• Design an enterprise governance strategy

- Explain the shared responsibility model and how it impacts your security configuration
- Create Azure policies to protect your solutions
- o Configure and deploy access to services using RBAC

• Implement perimeter security

- o Define defense in depth
- o Protect your environment from denial-of-service attacks
- Secure your solutions using firewalls and VPNs
- Explore your end-to-end perimeter security configuration based on your security posture

Configure network security

- Deploy and configure network security groups to protect your Azure solutions
- o Configure and lockdown service endpoints and private links
- Secure your applications with Application Gateway, Web App Firewall, and Front Door
- Configure ExpressRoute to help protect your network traffic



• Configure and manage host security

- o Configure and deploy Endpoint Protection
- o Deploy a privileged access strategy for devices and privileged workstations
- o Secure your virtual machines and access to them
- o Deploy Windows Defender
- Practice layered security by reviewing and implementing Security Center and Security Benchmarks

• Enable Containers security

- o Define the available security tools for containers in Azure
- o Configure security settings for containers and Kubernetes services
- Lock down network, storage, and identity resources connected to your containers
- o Deploy RBAC to control access to containers

• Deploy and secure Azure Key Vault

- o Define what a key vault is and how it protects certificates and secrets
- Deploy and configure Azure Key Vault
- o Secure access and administration of your key vault
- Store keys and secrets in your key vault
- Explore key security considerations like key rotation and backup/recovery

• Configure application security features

- o Register an application in Azure using app registration
- o Select and configure which Azure AD users can access each application
- Configure and deploy web app certificates

Implement storage security

- o Define data sovereignty and how that is achieved in Azure
- o Configure Azure Storage access in a secure and managed way
- o Encrypt your data while it is at rest and in transit
- o Apply rules for data retention

• Configure and manage SQL database security

- o Configure which users and applications have access to your SQL databases
- o Block access to your servers using firewalls
- o Discover, classify, and audit the use of your data
- o Encrypt and protect your data while it is stored in the database

• Configure and manage Azure Monitor

- o Configure and monitor Azure Monitor
- o Define metrics and logs you want to track for your Azure applications
- o Connect data sources to and configure Log Analytics
- o Create and monitor alerts associated with your solutions security

• Enable and manage Microsoft Defender for Cloud

Define the most common types of cyber-attacks



- o Configure Microsoft Defender for Cloud based on your security posture
- o Review Secure Score and raise it
- Lock down your solutions using Microsoft Defender for Cloud's workload protection
- o Enable Just-in-Time access and other security features

• Configure and monitor Microsoft Sentinel

- Explain what Microsoft Sentinel is and how it is used
- o Deploy Microsoft Sentinel
- o Connect data to Microsoft Sentinel, like Azure Logs, Azure AD, and others
- o Track incidents using workbooks, playbooks, and hunting techniques